

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Cushaw Barnett

v.

Civil No. 1:13-cv-137

Steven J. McAuliffe

O R D E R

All active service district judges in this district are recused from presiding over this case. Accordingly, the case shall be referred to the District of Rhode Island; sitting by designation.

The recusal of all of the active service district judges in this court give rise to an "emergency" with respect to the referred case as that term is used in 28 U.S.C. § 636 (f). I therefore concur in the assignment of a magistrate judge from the designated district to perform the duties specified in 28 U.S.C. §636(a) - (c).

SO ORDERED.

/s/ Joseph N. Laplante  
Joseph N. Laplante  
Chief Judge

Date: May 16, 2013

cc: Cushaw Barnett, pro se  
Clerk, USDC-District of Rhode Island

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CONCURRING ORDER

I concur that Mary M. Lisi, a district judge in active service, shall be designated and assigned to preside over the above-captioned case.

I further concur that an emergency exists as specified above and that for the duration of this case Magistrate Judge Patricia A. Sullivan is assigned to perform such duties under 28 U.S.C. § 636 (a) - (c) as may be assigned to him/her by the district judge to whom this case is assigned.

Date: May 17, 2013

/s/Mary M. Lisi  
Chief United States District Judge  
District of Rhode Island

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Clerk, USDC-District of New Hampshire